

Third Quarter 2017-2018

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences appeared in:

- 266 total media citations (December 2017 – February 2018)
- 120 top-tier media citations (December 2017 – February 2018)
- Coverage in top national outlets, including *Washington Post*, *USA Today*, *The New York Times*, *Associated Press*, *The Atlantic*, and *National Public Radio*

Selected Media Hits

December

Smithsonian Magazine

[Two Centuries Ago, Pennsylvania Almost Razed Independence Hall to Make Way for Private Development](#)

(Whitney Martinko, History)

Vice

[Historians Are Calling Out Trump Online Whenever He Misreads the Past](#)

(Jason Steinhauer, History)

January

The Conversation

[The hidden homelessness among America's high school students](#)

(Stacey Havlik, Education and Counseling)

Washington Post

[President Trump is playing politics with the 2020 Census. It could backfire.](#)

(Judy Giesberg, History)

Associated Press

[Pope meets with abuse survivors, weeps with them in Chile](#)

(Massimo Faggioli, Theology and Religious Studies)

The New York Times

[If We Ever Get to Mars, the Beer Might Not Be Bad](#)

(Ed Guinan, Astronomy)

Academic Minute

[Stacey Havlik, Villanova University – Homeless Students](#)

(Stacey Havlik, Education and Counseling)

The Atlantic

[Why Some Catholics Are Defending the Kidnapping of a Jewish Boy](#)

(Massimo Faggioli, Theology and Religious Studies)

Washington Post

[How did we lose a president's daughter?](#)

(Catherine Kerrison, Gender and Women's Studies)

The New York Times

[Jefferson's Three Daughters — Two Free, One Enslaved](#)

(Catherine Kerrison, Gender and Women's Studies)

The New York Times

[Answers About the Secret Memo on the Trump-Russia Inquiry](#)

(David Barrett, Political Science)

February

The Conversation

[Mangroves protect coastlines, store carbon – and are expanding with climate change](#)

(Samantha Chapman, Biology)

U.S. News & World Report

[How Your Smartphone May Be Making You Unhappy](#)

(Illia Delio, Theology and Religious Studies)

Newsweek

[Nunes Memo Reveals Congressman's Penchant for Conspiracy Theories](#)

(David Barrett, Political Science)

Vatican News

['A Pope Francis Lexicon' explores key words of pontificate](#)

(Katie Grimes, Theology and Religious Studies)

USA Today

[After Parkland, video games back in critics' crosshairs](#)

(Patrick Markey, Psychology)

Christian Science Monitor

[After Parkland, a new generation finds its voice](#)

(Jerusha Conner, Education)

Washington Post

[If video games spur gun violence, it's only in the United States](#)

(Patrick Markey, Psychology)